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- ☒ 34 Page patent application.
- ☒ 8 Sheets of drawings -- ☒ Formal, ☐ Informal
- ☐ An Assignment of the invention to _____
- ☐ A Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney
- ☐ A Verified Statement By Assignee Claiming Small Entity Status
- ☐ An Associate Power of Attorney
- ☐ A Preliminary Amendment
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement and PTO Form 1449 with copies of cited patents
- ☒ This application claims priority to U.S. Provisional Patent Application Serial No. 60/_____, filed on October 17, 2001 (Docket No. 65,135-014).

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